

**TOXICATED MEN GIVEN FINES OR JAIL MONDAY**

Two Los Angeles men, Al West, lumberman, and D. W. Morgan, who gave his occupation as "seaman," were arrested by Police Officer Calder, Sergeant Stroth and Officer Olsen August 9 for intoxication on Torrance boulevard. West, who was driving the machine they were in, was also charged with reckless driving. He was sentenced Monday to pay \$10 fine, spend 10 days in jail on the drunk charge, and \$50 or 60 days in the latter count. Morgan paid \$15 fine for intoxication.

**DOWNTOWN FISHING**

ALBANY, Ore.—Albany sportsmen are going no farther than a downtown street to catch salmon. For some reason, the fish are entering an irrigation ditch that parallels the street in large numbers.

**Hard Times Strike Marriage Bureaus**

By the United Press

Well, maybe two can't live as cheaply as one. Or perhaps it's the weather—or Dan Cupid is getting just plain tired. Anyway California marriages showed a distinct drop in popularity during the first six months of the year. According to figures announced by Dr. Giles S. Porter, state director of public health, only 23,445 couples said their "I do's" for the six months ending June 30. In the same period last year, there were 24,000 marriages.

In Los Angeles county, there were 8,655 nuptial vows exchanged during the first six months of this year, as compared to 9,030 in the corresponding period of 1930.

**Fine New Radio To Be Awarded for Can Labels**

A novel contest with a new Majestic radio as the prize was started this week by Smart and Final Company, Ltd. All residents of Torrance and vicinity are cordially invited to enter in the competition for the latest-model radio.

The contest rules are simple. The radio, a beautiful table model, eight tube, multi-tune, superheterodyne, will be given to the person collecting the greatest number of S. & F. Gold Labels from canned goods. All labels must be sent in to Smart and Final Co., Ltd., 315 Marine Avenue, Wilmington, not later than midnight, September 10.

Everyone but employees of the company and their families is invited to take advantage of this opportunity to become familiar with the excellence of fruits and vegetables bearing the Smart and Final label, and at the same time participate in the contest for the radio. The labels must all be sent in at the same time. Many local stores are selling Smart and Final products.

**Baby Inspection Center Swamped**

**38 Youngsters Appear for Monthly Checkup**

Those in charge of the Mothers Educational Center, which meets each month at the Woman's club-house, were kept exceptionally busy last Friday, August 7, when 38 babies registered for inspection. Of this number 27 were regular attendants and 11 were newcomers. The latter included Bruce Stewart, Catherine Hall, Richard Hall, Robert Scofield, William Rinker, Juanita Ritchie, Stanley King, Lawrence Fischer, Ernest McMaster, Anna Blackstead and Marian Blackstead.

Five mothers who had called to present their babies to the Center had to be turned away, owing to the large attendance, since the ladies in charge had more than they were able to take care of. In view of the fact that the Center is limited to a schedule of 30 babies for inspection, those in charge have been compelled to ask that the mothers make appointments in advance by calling Lomita 169.

**Mrs. James Carlin and Children Make Record on Big Trip**

Averaging better than 212 miles to the gallon on a 4540-mile trip from Torrance to Sidney, Nova Scotia is no small feat and Mrs. James Carlin and her six children are certainly proud of their 1926 Dodge Brothers sedan in which they made the trip. They were 17 days enroute. Expenses for all and grease totaled \$210.50. Mrs. Carlin, who returned last week, reported, and they used but 212 gallons of gasoline.

On the return trip from the far-eastern Canadian city, the Carlin party drove 4598 miles in 10 days and used 235 gallons of gasoline. This is an average of better than 19 1/2 miles to the gallon. Oil and grease totaled \$9, their "log-book" showed. Mrs. Carlin said that coming home to Torrance they were delayed one day by rain and were forced to lose a 24-hour traveling and rest period on this account. Mr. Carlin did not accompany his wife and children on the trip. They live in the Hammetton tract.

**Would Dissolve Old Lomita Water Group**

Apportionment of \$5400 and dissolution of the old Narbonne Ranch Water Company, No. 4, also known as the Mutual Water Corporation, will be in order August 25 if 135 shares are represented in the meeting called on that date in Lomita. All property and tangible assets of the company has been sold and everything is in readiness for dissolving the old corporation, according to W. O. Whistler, secretary of the company. It had been expected that this would be accomplished at a meeting held August 4, but only 163 of the 388 shares were represented by stockholders at the conference. Under a new law that goes into effect August 14, a majority of shares represented and voted is sufficient to dissolve a corporation. The meeting will be held in California Hall on Redondo boulevard, Lomita.

**Washington Pictures To Be Given Free To Every School Room**

By the United Press

SACRAMENTO.—Every school room in California will soon receive two poster portraits of George Washington. It was announced here this week by Congressman Charles P. Curry of Sacramento.

The posters will be of two kinds, one a copy of the famous Gilbert Stuart Athenaeum portrait of Washington printed in 10 colors, and the other a reproduction of a photograph of the famous Houdon bust.

The gift is from the United States commission for the celebration of the 200th anniversary of Washington's birth, and is being made available by Congressman Sol Bloom, associate director of the commission.

**Right From The Shoulder**

Believing that there are many people who have interesting ideas which would be of interest to all readers, the Herald wishes to announce that this column is open to all for an expression of those ideas, comments and conditions which affect our social, economic and civic life. The Herald accepts no responsibility for letters published herewith, but is glad to publish opinions of its readers even though these opinions may differ from those of the publishers. We will permit the use of a pen name in the printed letter, but every communication must be accompanied by the writer's correct name and address. If you do not wish us to publish your name, simply state so at the close of your letter. All communications are limited to 500 words. All subjects, except religious topics, and provided they are not libelous or slanderous, are acceptable.

What's on your mind?—Write it for the Herald!

Editor, Torrance Herald.

As a "doorbell victim" of many years, I read with keen interest the story published in last week's Herald concerning the house-to-house canvassers and peddlers. Believe me, it has given me a strong line of talk to answer these pests. Our family has adopted the policy you story recommended of "never buying anything at the door."

There are enough merchants in Torrance to take care of all of our wants. Their prices are equal to any elsewhere and I don't see the necessity of these "door bell ringers" bothering us. The next one that comes to my place will long remember the time he "buzzed" this bell.

HOUSEWIFE

Editor, Torrance Herald.

I was very much impressed by the story you published in last Thursday's edition regarding peddlers operating in Torrance. But you have only touched a very small part of the peddling-abuse in that article. There are peddlers who come to my place of business daily with their merchandise which they carry in their cars, offering it for sale and for immediate delivery. Their stocks consist mostly of cheap-grade pocket knives, kitchen cutlery, auto pliers—in fact pliers and pruners of every description for household use. And they claim to be representing a certain firm in L. A.,

or elsewhere, and seem to carry the idea that their merchandise is of very high quality and of very low price.

But upon investigation, I find their wares of inferior manufacture, although they are stamped France, Japan, China or Germany. None of these articles are made in those countries, but are American products. If the articles were made in those countries, they would be so labeled. All this mis-leading and still these peddlers get away with it from year to year. One individual who was in our city less than a month ago, peddled his products in at least seven local stores and delivered them at once. His car was his only place of business. As a rule, they pay no rent, no license fees and their storehouses are their garages at home.

Again there's another class of peddlers who are selling to garages, filling stations, hardware stores, auto repair shops—in fact anywhere that they can get a hearing. In most cases they are peddling obsolete, bankrupt stocks. They make their rounds from one to three weeks apart. They will sneak down the alley, enter the back doors, hooding their wares, put the cash in their pockets, kiss you goodbye and the next time they come they've got a different line of merchandise. And our city receives no benefit. Still we wonder why we are having hard times.

A TORRANCE MERCHANT.

**Olympic Games Ad Fund Asked of Supervisors**

President William May Garland, of the Olympic Games Committee, this week recorded an appeal made recently to the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors, that adequate funds be provided in the 1931-32 budget for advertising to promote attendance to the games scheduled to be held here, July 30 to August 14, next year.

"We made a recommendation to the supervisors that the All-Year Club conduct the Olympic Games advertising campaign, as a result of the ten years which that organization has devoted to the development of our tourist travel," said Garland.

**Distribute Information**

"An aggressive advertising campaign is important to the complete success of the games from an attendance standpoint.

"This great classic will follow two years of depressed world business and the average person in this country and Europe desires to know how much time and money the trip here will take, whether good accommodations can be reserved here at reasonable rates, whether good seats for events are available without paying scalpers' prices, and what to do here in addition to seeing the games."

In addressing the appeal to the supervisors this week, President Garland, was accompanied by representatives of the Olympic Organizing Committee.

**Jobless Man Hangs Self Near Walteria**

Despondent because he had been out of work for a long period, Joe Christensen, 47, of Long Beach, hung himself from a tree late Thursday night near Walteria. His body was found early Friday morning by a newspaper carrier. Christensen is survived by his wife, Margaret. The funeral was held Monday afternoon at Long Beach.

**DAUGHTER OF FORMER RESIDENTS DIES IN CRASH**

Miss Aurelia Donahue, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Donahue, former residents of Torrance, was killed in a collision of two automobiles August 6 on the Coast Highway between Huntington Beach and Balboa. Seven other young people were injured seriously in the crash which cost Miss Donahue her life. The Donahues had a wide circle of friends and acquaintances here, during their stay in Torrance.



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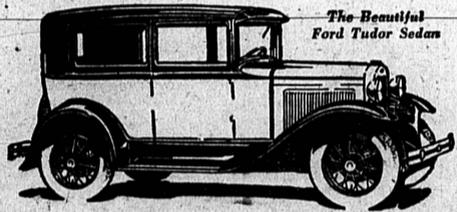
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**Faces Deportation**



Walter Burgold, shown above with his wife and 11-months-old daughter, faces deportation this week unless Governor Ralph Ince succeeds in his behalf. Burgold, immigration authorities charge, deserted the German ship Faxon in this country in 1926, so must return to Germany and leave behind his wife, who is confined in a San Francisco hospital, and the baby.



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The courtesy with which your BLUE & WHITE grocer serves you is more than mere words. It is the outgrowth of his desire to please you in every possible way. It expresses his personal interest in your requirements, and reminds you that there is no service equal to that of the individual store owner, whose living depends on your trade.

A HOME TOWNER

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, AUGUST 14 AND AUGUST 15

- Fine Granulated 6 lbs. **SUGAR 29c**
- Do Better, at Blue & White Stores
- Cleaner 3 cans **OLD DUTCH 19c**
- Let It Work For You
- "Forget the Fuss and Trouble" **HORMEL Flavor Sealed CHICKEN**
- Whole size 3 half size 1 1/2 to 4 lb. avg. **47c** to 2 lb. avg. **49c**
- Van Camp's large can **13c**
- Pork & Beans** med. 2 for **13c**
- Going Picnicking?
- For Delicate Complexions each **PALMOLIVE SOAP or 7c**
- and Fine Fabrics
- CAMAY SOAP 19c**
- Ivory Snow Free 3 for **19c**
- Milani's lb. jar **CHICKEN, NOODLES 32c**
- Honest-to-Goodness Chicken
- Pet M-M 3 Tall or **MILK 6 Small Cans 17c**
- Unsweetened—Evaporated
- Energy Food 3 lbs. **PINK BEANS 14c**
- Good Cookers
- S. & F. Black No. 2 can **RASPBERRIES 23c**
- Regular .35c Value
- Purely Vegetable 3-lb. tin **CRISCO 63c**
- The Perfect Shortening
- Post's or Kellogg's **BRAN FLAKES, PEP Choice 2 pkgs. 19c**
- The Children Love Them
- Genuine 2 cans **Dunbar Shrimp 29c**
- Salads—Sandwich Spreads
- Globe A-1 10-lb. sack **FLOUR 29c**
- A California Favorite
- Blue & White 1-lb. pkg. **COFFEE 31c**
- Building Business on Quality
- Powdered or Brown **SUGAR 1-lb. pkg. 7c**
- Your Choice
- Everyday Necessities
- Serve 2 pkgs. **JELL-WELL or JIFFY-LOU 15c**
- The California Desserts
- S. & F. 1/2's can **FANCY TUNA 17c**
- Parties—Luncheons, Any Time
- Crystal White bar **Laundry Soap 3c**
- Saves Half the Work
- Mother's 2-lb. pkg. **COCOA 19c**
- With the Chocolate Flavor
- Table Queen 3 No. 1 cans **TOMATOES 20c**
- Health-Giving Vitamins
- Table Queen CHOICE 2 11-oz. cans **Corn or Peas 15c**
- Summer Foods—Ready in a Jiffy
- BAKERY ITEMS**
- 1/2-lb. Loaf Jevne Sunniland Plain or Sandwich Loaf, Quality Bread..... 2 for 15c
- MEATS**
- FANCY SLICED BACON.....lb. 31c
- PURITAN BAKED OR BOILED HAM.....lb. 55c
- DRY SALT PORK..... 2 lbs. 35c
- GEM BACON SQUARES.....lb. 15c
- WEINERS OR FRANKFURTERS..... 2 lbs. 35c
- FRESH FRUITS - VEGETABLES**
- FANCY POTATOES.....10 lbs. 15c
- YAM SWEET POTATOES.....lb. 5c
- LITTLE ROCK BARTLETT PEARS.....lb. 4c
- ISABEL CONCORD GRAPES..... 2 lbs. 15c
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